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'Justice' by Slow Starvation

Why The 29 Were Transported To Washington, Away From Home

By Elizabeth Dilling

WASHINGTON,— It is a long miserable grind. Each day eager-eyed, blood-hungry faces crowd the visitors' benches. Some fifty Jews were turned away at the door yesterday. This is **their** Roman arena on Christians.

I heard that one defendant I do not know, but I have a rather peculiar record on his personal life in my files, was met by one of the attorneys; he had eaten nothing in three days. He is now in the Veteran's Hospital, being a veteran of World War 1, with an even chance of living or dying due to malnutrition. He has not been hounded because of his martial or other dealings but for "anti-Semitism". Three of the defendants who have been working nights, two in the Willard Hotel, lost their jobs when their connection with this trial became known to their employer. Deaf defendant Baxter, who had lettering work for four hours a night at $1.25 per hour, lost his job with his Russian Red employer who does work for the Treasury Department. He is now being excused from Court attendance for a time to take care of his sick wife and two tots who have mumps. He told Mr. Dilling the Court-appointed attorneys have been making it possible for them to exist. A great Christian gentleman defendant had only sixty cents, yesterday, to last him the next four days. The ten skinny prisoner defendants sit three rows ahead of me where I must look at their jutting bones. One of them, in recess one afternoon, showed me their lunch: four slices of stale bread with no butter, a thin rancid slice of baloney on one, a smear of varnish-like substance called "apple butter" on another slice.. He could not eat it. Another day he bit on glass in his "sandwich". I am doing what I can about this, every day. I only wish I could do more.

Hartzell Case

The Hartzell case involved a man who was charged with conspiracy to undermine the morale of the armed forces by criticizing President FDR in a very scurrilous way as "The Diseased Spinal Cord", razzing the Jews, Communists, etc. The attorney from whom he rented office space and the man who mimeographed his leaflets were named as co-conspirators. As the evidence showed that he sent these pamphlets to names copied from telephone books, Who's Who in America and to Army journals and officers, he and two others were convicted in Chicago. On appeal the two others were freed, leaving Hartzell alone with his conspiracy.

June 12th the Supreme Court freed Hartzell in a decision holding that there was insufficient evidence to show that there was intent to undermine the morale of the armed forces.

This World of "Humanitarianism"

I learned today, June 15th, that defendant Garner, the little eighty-three old great-grandfather who died here alone far from home and friends, leaving a "hidden treasure" of forty cents in his pockets, was shipped home to his impoverished widow in a box, absolutely nude. Clothing had to be purchased to bury him and his little wardrobe of two suits of clothing, his typewriter and letters have not even yet been sent to his widow!

The Dickstein-Untermyer-Communist-Set-up

When the New Deal's first German witness, one Peter Gissibl, went on the stand to identify old alleged letters written from German Bunders to each other, presumably to show the "intent" of the Bund, the defense set up a clamor to see the originals of these photostats. Attorneys were fined for contempt of Court, and six have been so far, but the clamor went on. At last the "Kosher Twins", Burns and Rogge, the two special Department of "Injustice" prosecutors, pulled a very impressive stunt. They put on the witness stand an employee of the Clerk of the House of Representatives, in whose custody the originals were held as part of the Dickstein records, so we were told. This witness testified that the photostats in Court were true copies of those on file at the office of the Clerk of the House of Representatives. All petitions that the Judge order the originals brought over so that the attorneys could see them were overruled. Law by the volume showing this is mandatory in criminal trials was cited, in vain, on this.

So, the morning of June 2nd, Mr. Dilling and I and a few others went over to the office of the Clerk of the House and asked to see the originals of the five documents, already introduced over all protests, in evidence. These turned out to be two mimeographed leaflets without signatures that could be turned out by anyone with mimeograph equipment, a **carbon** copy of an alleged letter on a Bund letterhead, and two photostats of alleged letters, one with a clumsy forged-looking signature evidently drawn over pencil tracings which show on the photostat.

Communist Party Doctrine

Yet I myself, attended the Communist Party's American League Against War and Fascism congress in Chicago when Earl Browder spoke and Harry Ward presided, with the stage hung with rows of Red banners inscribed with the names of various Communist Party units and organizations in English and Yiddish; when Ward read messages handed up from members of the armed forces in the audience pledging themselves to carry out the Communist Party line, at that time, of turning any war for this country into Red revolution to set up a Soviet government. The avowed and printed purpose of this Communist Party organization was sabotage of munitions and war supplies and mutiny in the U.S.A. armed forces to set up Communist dictatorship in this country. At this congress an officer, his face masked, appeared on the stage and his Red revolutionary pledge was cheered to the rafters.

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Finally the two San Diego dailies, owned by the Copley Press, Inc., have realized that they MUST follow the example of THE BROOM by establishing a Washington bureau to get news first hand about the doings of the Bolsheviks in the White House and thereabouts.

Two years ago President Roosevelt, personally, had me brought in chains and leg irons, guarded by three deputy U. S. marshals to Washington, to establish a Washington bureau for THE BROOM, since we did not know completely how corrupt the Chief Executive himself and his "holy ghost" Rosenman were. But when they had me in irons and in jail, they disclosed it, for Attorney General Biddle had told them there was no legal authority for arresting me, but they ordered him to do it anyway, for what does the Constitution mean to FDR and his "holy ghoster" Rosenman?! They merely took the oath of office to gain power and circumvent the Constitution by smart Talmudic rationalizing.

But the two Copley papers in San Diego had my picture, a carricature snapped by a CIO Guild photographer, on the front page and they were crowing over the fact that I was arrested and treated as a criminal. They never dreamt that it meant the expansion of THE BROOM to cover Washington doings more accurately and demonstrate to the nation how rotten the administration really is.

But, as usual, the Copley Press comes to admit that we lead the way. Two years have passed. Our Washington correspondent has kept our readers correctly informed how FDR and Rosenman, his holy ghost writer, are terrorizing Americans who dare expose their misdeeds, and now the Copley papers also sent a correspondent to the seat of Iniquity.

We always have swept ahead of the "kept" press showing where America's interest lies. After it became "safe" and "fashionable" to follow our example, the Copley papers have regularly fallen in behind us. We exposed Bridges, the Communists, the NRA, even at a time when the Copley Press was ballyhooing for the NRA. But step, by step, the prophet was honored in his home town, for the dailies nilly willy, had to repeat the exposures we dared publish when the yellow press was too scared to open their mouths, that's why they are yellow.

D. C. Bar, A Bar to Justice

"A FURTHER I. Q. TEST"

By F. Regis Noel

(Concluded from last week)

Without being unduly critical and certainly not partisan, for both major political parties have followed the procedure, one of the basic troubles is cropping out—the appointment of judges to our local Bench who were never members of the Bar of the District of Columbia, never praticed here and know little of either our law or our Bar. On the Court of Appeals of the District of Columbia all Judges are from foreign jurisdictions. On the United States District Court for the District of Columbia, 8 out of 12 are from foreign jurisdictions. It is inconceivable that a member of the Bar from the District of Columbia would be appointed to a Federal Court in Kansas, Maine, New Mexico or any other jurisdiction and become successful there, even if they were accepted by the communities. This weakness may or may not stem from the lack of a vote by residents of the District of Columbia. As a member of your judicial selection committee the writer has always insisted on appointment of local lawyers to judicial position.

Another weakness that might be considered is the recent statute making Government employes available for jury service. A great many cases before the District Court concern the Government as one of the litigants. The number excused or challenged in the instant trial because of Government employment is quite excessive. Perhaps the recent statute should be revoked.

Another possible contributing cause is lack of a suitable Court House building. The cramped and crowded condition in a building no larger than it was in 1819 no doubt contributes to the difficulty. The Municipal Court, Juvenile Court and Police Court obtained new and commodious buildings. The District Court quite likely could have had a building now. To those with a memory, the reason they do not have will be recalled, and I shall not mention it now. A new building would have larger Court rooms, adequate for juries, witnesses, attorneys attending on trial, the press, the public. Another possible suggestion closely allied to the foregoing is that the Bar Association of the District of Columbia should have its own building for its library and its other activities instead of being an alleged squatter in the Court house. The large space occupied by its library would afford at least one big Court room such as is needed now. Several years ago a healthy movement to get adequate quarters was well on the way.

Another crying need in this jurisdiction is some daily legal publicaton which would keep the Bar informed of what is going on in Court and Bar circles. There is such a publication in every jurisdiction of comparable size. Too many of us do not know what is occuring before our very eyes and considerable time is wasted at meetings before we become awake to what is being considered.

And the action of the meeting is a boomerang on the members of the Association who so, so tenderly guided its strategy. The defendants' attorneys are fulfilling a constitutional and public duty by the appointment of the Court. They were blasted by the National Lawyers Guild, a group I shall not attempt to describe, the Court was asked to dispel the odium, but while our fellow members are still surrounded by this odor, a packed meeting of their Bar Association poured more oil on their heads and turned them a cold shoulder instead of recognizing and approving and consoling them!

Our meetings and our Journal are our forum for open and untrammeled discussion. But, since they are denied as a timely vehicle of expression, other means are available. There can be no doubt but that the Bar of the District of Columbia and the Bar Association of the District of Columbia has been adversely affected by what has happened in this trial. The public of the District of Columbia particularly, and generally throughtout the Country, makes no fine distinction when lawyers are held in contempt as to whether or not they are members of the Bar Association. The reaction is instantly against the lawyers. The problem always should be approached in a conservative and reasonable attitude without any hesitation, fear or cowering manner.

To revert to the opening of this sketch, the meeting was called because there is obviously something fundamentally wrong. Let us in a frank and reasonable manner see if we can discover and correct the evil if there is one. While the iron is hot, on many of the Bar's neglected matters, let us strike as everyone else seems to find it proper to do!

Although contrary to sound policy, yet in the emergency, and as earnest of sincerity, the writer hereby subscribes the sum of five hundred dollars to a fund to be held by the Treasurer of the Bar Association of the District of Columba distributable to members of the Bar Association of the District of Columbia, duly appointed by the Court and otherwise uncompensated, who continue active there until the termination of the co-called "Sedition Trial", provided the Bar Association of the District of Columbia subscribes an equal amount prior to June 10, 1944, and total subscription of members of the Bar Association, the Bar or the public amount $10,000 prior to said June 10th.

GOVERNMENT By BUROCRACY

What Happens to an American Citizen Who Wants to Know the Law

On July 6th, Fred's car, that I am driving when working for THE BROOM, was tagged by a subordinate of William Reed, Collector of Internal Revenue, San Diego, summoning the registered owner, Fred's mother, to appear and explain why no $5 Federal Use Tax Stamp was displayed on the windshield.

As the driver, and as an investigating newspaper reporter, I was interested to find out by what authority Mr. Reed threatens us with $25 fine and 30 days in jail, when the stamp had been duly bought on June 30, and properly posted with the white automobile certificate, in a conspicuous, visible folder of celluloid on the steering wheel of the parked car.

My inquiries resulted in an excited clerk bodily removing me from the office in the old P. O. Building, and forcibly throwing me out of the central entrance, BECAUSE after 45 minutes search, the excited clerk was unable to produce any written authority in law that makes display on the windshield compulsory.

Have not interviewed his superior, William Reed, yet and will report further developments.

WHO IS HERMAN D. CRANDALL ?

Dear Kosti:

"Herman D. Crandall" is thought to be a new monicker for Derounian, the author of "Under Cover". —A READER..

Editor's Note: It would make no difference to us. We are in the Christ service and need fear no man. We treat them all alike.

SOLAR AIRCRAFT NEWS

Edmund T. Price, President of Solar Aircraft Company, announced today that sales for the fiscal year ended April 30, 1944, were $28,065,-965, an increase of 25 per cent over the previous fiscal year. Net profits, after a provision of $3,917,507 for federal taxes on income, and refund in a connection with renegotiation of war contracts for the year just ended, were $849,988, equivalent to $2.67 per share on the common stock outstanding. The company has a backlog of uncompleted contracts of approximately $25,-000,000..

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Republicans or Democrats ?

WHAT'S THE DIFFERENCE WHICH PARTY ADMINISTERS ?

Dear Mr. de Aryan:

Through your paper you are always boosting mightily for the Republicans. Consider their past record when they were head of the government and swindling the public out of great amounts by the oil, railroad and other shabby deals. I can see little difference in the two parties except that the Democrats deal with much larger sums for the time being. Can not see why you justify the Republicans as the amount taken has little to do with their honesty, as "he that is faithful in that which is least, is faithful also in much".

If a party takes away the people's money they will not hesitate to take away their rights as set up in the Constitution and Bill of Rights. So, again, how can you choose, one or the other of the two pots equally black?

We are finding your paper as stimulating and interesting as ever and are enclosing a small check.

Yours, Sincerely,— — Mr. & Mrs.— —
WASHINGTON

* * *

Dear Friends:

Thanks for the $5 which come in mighty handily to fill up the hole each edition of THE BROOM leaves in my pocket book.

I appreciate your inquiry regarding the two political parties. I have to think along the same lines myself and in a way agree with you, only I have learned not to go off at half cock but to GO ALL THE WAY and examine ALL FACTORS before arriving at a judgment, because my judgment must be right, since there are thousands of people who rely upon it for their actions at the polls, and otherwise.

The Republican party, though crooked, has always robbed us in a constructive way, or to put it this way, it has done us more good than harm.

Take the cattle breeder or chicken fancier. He saises the cattle, tends to them, improves the breed, THEN sells them on the market to the highest bidder, or to the butcher. As a vegetarian I condemn them utterly for the treachery or raising them to murder them, as I condemn our schools for raising our children to slaughter them in that kind of "patriotism" that violates all the divine commandments. War is criminal insanity and NO GOOD WHATEVER results from criminal insanity inoculated into our children.

But as a realist I watch the process repeat itself, again and again and again and considering ALL FACTORS I must admit the TRUTH, namely that cattle would NOT IMPROVE their own breed as fast as the FANCIERS help them improve it, even though the fanciers make a profit out of it. Thus the cattle pay a price for the services rendered them by the fanciers, in proportion. By that I mean, that some cattle improve, while others get killed, ALL told, the breed progresses.

As long as mankind is yet cattle, live like cattle, live on cattle, murder cattle, we are going to have TWO or more parties that will exploit the herd. Observation demonstrates that the Republicans have SERVED the herd better than the Democrats. Both of them are skinning them, but BEFORE they butcher them or skin them, dead or alive, the Republicans give them a chance at PROGRESS and IMPROVEMENT and the proportion of individuals who escape alive and really progress is greater under the Republican cowhands than under the Democratic rustlers. The rustlers are simply **irresponsible.** The cowhands have in mind all the time that they must keep capital, or sufficient heads of cattle, to stock the range; the rustlers murder indiscriminately and plough under.

I am sure I made myself plain.

Sincerely yours,
C. LEON de ARYAN.

Baby's Birth 'Military Secret'

Noble Reveals It Happens Here

To sister: Mrs. Martha Govern
2474 Montrose Ave., Montrose, Calif.
200— 19th St., S. E.
Washington, D. C., May 21, 1944

Dear Martha:-

Thanks for the letter. Indeed I will be able to remember Diane's birthday from now on. Last year I had such a time learning about her birth, as you remember; it was during the time I was not allowed to correspond with anyone, just after we had been taken from here to Lewisburg, Pa., there we were held at Lewisburg incommunicado and not allowed to contact anyone for several weeks. During that period Mary Jane wrote me about the baby, but my "friendly" captors would not let the father receive the letter from his only daughter telling him of the birth of her baby girl. They abruptly returned it to the new mother. Perhaps they were afraid the baby brought a message from the Japs, or straight from Hitler, for all I know. At any rate, surely the republic was shakily hanging over a bottomless abyss; that it's toppling over would have been caused if a young mother had been allowed to tell her father of this great event in her life.

Please tell Mrs. — — — that the $2.50 was received. It is of course much appreciated.

This trial is getting more mixed every day. This thing has no head or tail to ever try to see. And after Mr. Rogge, the prosecutor, has made, what he calls, an opening statement of what he intends to prove, it seems more complicated than ever before, simply a monstrosity. Coupled with the scene in the courtroom as he attempted to deliver this insulting harrangue, the minds of the jurors must be in a turmoil. Mr. Smythe got off, I think, the best one when he suggested the whole matter be turned over to the court of "Puzzles and Riddles". The courtroom scene was indescribable. Mr. Rogge tried to tell such phantastic, insulting story that it was only natural that he was almost continually interrupted by the defendants and their attorneys. And these interruptions became very pronounced and helped to make the entire scene quite disorderly appearing; because however, almost at the onset, the judge ruled that no interruptions would be allowed—which procedure we were reliably informed, is contrary to all law and pratice known heretofore here. Ordinarily, attorneys would properly stop the prosecutor when he made statements they consider improper and the judge would then and there rule upon them. So you can see the bedlam that occurred when the judge attempted to shut off all objections, well, he simply didn't get away with it altho he just about pounded his right arm off with the gavel. Whenever a lawyer stood up and attempted to speak, and 8 or 10 or 12 were on their feet at once, he kept pounding with his gavel, pounding, pounding, pounding, and all the time ordering the marshals to seat the attorneys. The marshals were running all over the court room, taking hold of the attorneys and asking them to be seated, but no sooner would they sit down than others would be on their feet, and so it went on and on, much of the whole three hours Rogge tried to talk, with defendants piping in as they felt the occasion required, and other times all bursting out laughing when Rogge made a particularly ridiculous remark. I understand Rogge intended to speak only for two hours but with all the happenings, that for much of this time amounted to bedlam, three hours were consummed.

We especially appreciated receiveing the copy of B'nai B'rith Messenger, of Los Angeles, of May 12, 1944, with the lying, distorted stories it contains. You can see by reading it, and PM & hearing Walter Winchell, who our accusers are. And it would seem that in digging up a lot of the past and distorting it for present publication—that they are not content to let the trial run its rational course and have the public be informed by evidence that might be presented. Rather perhaps, they show by their present actions, that at least, sources that now are able to use their publication (B. B. Mess.) in producing unsigned articles (which lays I suppose full responsiblity upon the publication) wish to have undue influence now in this matter and do you suppose this gives away much regarding the source of the initial responsibility for our original and the ensuing indictments, including this one.

It is getting to be pretty warm here, which makes my winter suit somewhat uncomfortable. There is a form of air-conditioning in our cells which so far keeps the jail a little cool. You understand we are in court Monday thru Thursday and here at the jail the other three days of the week.

Love to all kind and lovely friends. Saw my letter to Mr. de Aryan in THE BROOM. Mighty fine coverage of the trial on all its pages.

Lovingly, your brother, ROBERT NOBLE.

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EICHER 'FIRES' LAUGHLIN

WASHINGTON,— Defense Attorney James J. Laughlin was barred from further participation in the mass "sedition" trial because he had sought impeachment of the judge, Chief Justice Eicher of the District of Columbia Federal Court.

Laughlin, who has clashed with the jurist on several occasions, filed the petition for Eicher's impeachment with the Speaker of the House last Saturday.

In response to Eicher's invitation to show cause why he should not be dismissed from the trial, at which he twice has been fined for contempt, Laughlin replied **"Any citizen has the right to petition for impeachment. Your honor is without power at this time to interfere."**

"You are dismissed from this court as attorney of record in this case," Eicher said, "and the order of the Court is that you be denied further participation in this trial."

Laughlin, counsel for Robert Noble, Los Angeles, sedition suspect, made the statement after Eicher had questioned several defense attorneys about the formation of the so-called "Eicher Contempt Club." Some who have been fined for contempt have been wearing under their lapels a ribbon bearing the initials "E. C. C.," which was described as standing for Eicher Contempt Club.

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Probe Asked On F. D. R. Promises To Churchill

EDITOR'S NOTE: This and following articles are a reprint from our June 26th issue. At the time I hesitated to publish them at all because they had already appeared in the daily papers and been heard over the radio. I inserted them merely to keep the record straight since I had already scooped the dailies two weeks ahead of everbody by publishing the Kent story in Attorney Klein's address to the jury in D. C.

Evidently the revelations are so startling that demands for copies by the hundreds have poured into our office. To supply the demand we are reprinting the information in sufficient copies.

WASHINGTON,— The senate became embroiled in another heated debate on foreign policy. Sen. Connally pleaded for unity and against "sniping behind the lines" and Sens. Shipstead (R-Minn.) and Wheeler (D-Mont.) proposed a senate investigation to determine whether Winston Churchill, before becoming prime minister, had obtained assurances of help in the war from President Roosevelt.

At one point Wheeler said Churchill had been "permitted to use the American code which, in my judgement, as I understand the law, is not to be used by any foreigner".

DEBATE OVER PRISONER

Shipstead started the discussion by reading a news dispatch from London (Chicago Tribune June 12, 1944, the speech of Henry Klein on the conspiracy opening address to the jury. I am anxious to get more copies of that. Please send me if you have available, 25 copies C. O. D. and give me a price on a larger number.

Very sincerely,
— — SALT LAKE.

Editor's Note: The charge 5c per copy is COST to us. We are producing the Broom at a loss so far, but will not give up.

A VEGETARIAN MOTHER-CAT

Dear Kosti:

So glad to have your Broom to help sweep up this National Mess. Many thanks for your fine work. Will you be good enough to send me two or three copies of the June 5 issue. What a masterpiece the Klein speech is! That should go out by the hundreds. All my friends who have seen it are delighted.

Can't understand why some of them stall at taking your Broom, but things are pretty tough for some folks already and they don't see that understanding of their situation is the only chance they have to help rid themselves of it.

Enclosed wee clipping is from the Examiner. What a kitty! There must be something to your vegetarian diet stuff!

"A 26-year-old cat that still bears kittens. That's what a resident of Wilkenson, Wash., has. This cat prefers a diet of raw vegetables. Its owner believes this diet has much to do with the longevity of this remarkable feline.. . . "

Love, — — — H.

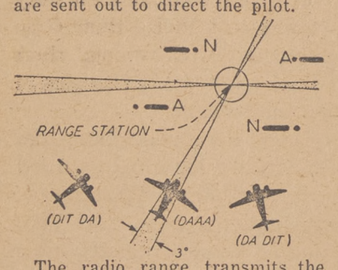
Gentlemen:

I have read in your issue of

PLANE TALK

BY Rowland Burnstan

"Flying the Beam" is a common expression, but few people understand its application. The illustration shows a radio range station and four radio guide beams which are sent out to direct the pilot.

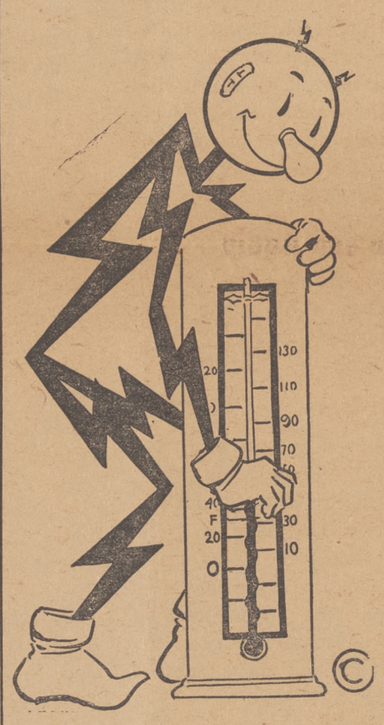


The radio range transmits the letter A (•—), which has the radio sound of "dit-da," in what is called the A quadrants, and also the letter N (—•) which has the tone of "da-dit," in the N quadrants. It is these various sounds which tell the pilot his position in relation to the beam. If he flies within the 2 degree angle of the beam (shaded portion) he hears one continuous humming tone (daaa) in his earphones. This is because the A and N quadrants are blended and he hears them with equal intensity.

If the pilot flies off the beam on the N side he will hear the N signal (da-dit) stronger and the A signal (dit-da) will become weaker. By the same principle, if he is too far on the A side he will hear only the A signal (dit-da). A map will tell him whether he is at the left or right side of his course.

These sound signals are transmitted for 30 seconds, followed by a code signal identifying the range station. This is sent out first into the N quadrant and then into the A.

HOT WEATHER?



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LOOKING AHEAD

Federal Aid

By GEORGE S. BENSON
President of Harding College
Searcy, Arkansas

ANY POLITICIAN could cut quite a splash if only he could line up all the teachers behind him. The idea is not new. Plans to halter the public schools of America in a bureaucratic treadmill have come before Congress four times since 1937. They have failed every time but each new attempt shows more strength. The most recent one gained enough momentum to get talked about from Bangor to Burbank.

This latest sally on the public school system was led by Senator Lister Hill of Alabama, helping Senator Elbert D. Thomas of Utah. This bill, (S.367) as finally rejected by the 78th Congress, is dead but the senators' ambitions can still wiggle. Hill is campaigning now for re-election on a platform of "federal aid to education," and that's been a hobby of Thomas' for a long time.

Teachers Underpaid THE ISSUE will be revived. Political problems have a way of coming to life repeatedly until they are solved, and this one is not solved. Teachers have a right to earn as much in the classroom as they might get for manual labor in a factory and, until teachers' pay is adjusted, state school authorities will have their troubles born of somebody's mistakes; maybe their own.

Federal aid to education, if it comes, will be federal control of schools eventually, whether the author of the bill wants it or not. Whoever signs the checks can compel obedience to orders, even from teachers. Obviously most public school systems need, not federal support, but better state support. There are at least six good reasons. Three are plain and practical, the others basic.

Six Good Reasons FIRST: Federal control would cost taxpayers more for the same results than state control. (2) Federal control of schools would make one more huge bureau with a maze of pyramiding salaries. (3) Federal control will ride down traditions. How the South will bristle at the first effort to seat white and colored children together at school. It might easily result in wide-spread violence.

The foregoing objections are practical ones. But it is wrong in principle to rob parents of their influence in public schools. (4) Concentrating school funds in the hands of far-away strangers is saying to all parents, "Hands off school!" (5) It is also fruitful of racketeering. (6) Worse yet, it violates the principle of state sovereignty which is the backbone of American freedom.

Any time rich Washington sets up a W.P.A. for teachers, local school revenue will start drying up. Soon the U. S. Treasury will be footing all school bills and expenses for education will climb needlessly. In many states teachers need and deserve more pay. If it comes the people will pay it and they'd *better* handle it locally. A local solution to the problem is possible anywhere.

Press Service) which said a member of parliament had questioned why a Capt. A. H. M. Ramsey, another member of parliament, had been held in jail for years without a trial.

The member suggested that the reason was the government feared disclosure of negotiations between President Roosevelt and Churchill when the latter still was first lord of the admiralty in the Chamberlain cabinet.

During the debate, Connally, chairman of the foreign relations committee, dashed out to a telephone, called the state department, and came back with what he termed the facts in the case. This was the way he outlined them:

Tyler Kent, an employe of the American embassy in London, became involved with a group in England which included Ramsey and a Russian woman, who were alleged to be conspiring to violate British law against the defense of the realm.

Kent was alleged to have violated British law and the British government submitted the documents in the case to the American government, which decided Kent should be prosecuted under British law and which waived his diplomatc immunity.

Decoded Messages

Wheeler had said Kent formerly was in the diplomatic service in Russia and had been transferred to London after becoming "very anti-Communist". He said Kent was a code clerk and was decoding messages which passed between Churchill and Roosevelt. Wheeler said Kent made copies of the messages and very foolishly showed them to a member of parliament and to a Russian woman.

Wheeler said later outside the senate it was his understanding that Churchill had been permitted to use the American code and it was thus that Kent was able to view the messages.

Fear Of Betrayal

There was some fear, he said, that since the woman was a White Russian opposed to Communism, she would pass the information along to Hitler .

Kent had been in jail for three or four years, Wheeler said. He said the young man had been charged with stealing documents from the American embassy and had been tried in a private British court, and that he had asked the state department for an explanation for such a trial and had received no reply.

Again and Again and Again

F. D. VOWED WAR, COMMONS TOLD

LONDON,— President Roosevelt promised Prime Minister Churchill before Britain entered the war that America would come to her aid, John McGovern, an Independent Laborite, charged in the House of Commons.

In a debate on regulation 18B, by which the minister of home security was given the authority to detain in prison without trial any person he suspects to be dangerous to the war effort, McGovern wanted to know if the reason for the continued detention of Capt. A. H. M Ramsay, a member of Parliament, was that he might make sensational disclosures about prewar negotiations between Churchill and Roosevelt.

McGovern linked the detention of Ramsay with the arrest of Tyler Kent, American Embassy clerk, whose mother, a resident of Washington, D. C., has been fighting for his release for four years.

ROOSEVELT-CHURCHILL DEALINGS

WASHINGTON,— Charges in the British House of Commons that President Roosevelt was dealing with Winston Churchill behind the back of Prime Minister Chamberlain are to be aired in Congress.

Senator Wheeler (D.), of Montana, said he was aware of the four-year fight Mrs. Anne H. P. Kent, a resident of Washington, and mother of Tyler Kent, a clerk in the American Embassy at London, has been making for the release of her son.

Kent, although an American citizen of diplomatic status, was sentenced to seven years imprisonment by a British court on a mysterious charge.

Mrs. Kent explained at her home here that she had positive evidence from her son that he intercepted communications between the President and Churchill as charged in Parliament.

She displayed a cryptic cablegram from her son, which, she said, showed beyond doubt that he had intercepted code messages in the interests of keeping America at peace.

Letter Disclosed

Mrs. Kent disclosed that she had written to President Roosevelt and members of Congress demanding justice for her son. She released a letter to Senator Danaher (R.), of Connecticut, in which she detailed her son's story. The letter read, in part:

"October, 1939, contrary to all custom, courtesy of American embassy codes was extended to Winston Churchill, the then First Lord of the Winston Chuhchill, the then First Lord of the British Admiralty, in order that he might send his first cable to President Roosevelt which read in effect:

" 'I am half American, and the natural person to work with you. It is evident we see eye to eye. Were I to become Prime Minister of Britain we could control the world.'

MANY NOTES EXCHANGED

"Six weeks later Mr. Roosevelt cabled through our embassy code to Mr. Churchill for more particulars. ' Then during the winter of 1939-40 several hundred cables were exchanged between these two. These cables were all decoded by Tyler Kent, clerk in the American Embassy in London. Young Kent's patriotism was so thoroughly aroused he determined to return to America and place before the Senate evidence of this shocking intrigue. However, his youth and inexperience led to easy frustration of his plans.

"For two years I have been endeavoring to learn the truth of my son's case in which I was hampered and mislead in every possible way by the State Department officials. A passport to leave this country was refused me, but I was finally able to send someone in my place. This man recently returned after interviewing my son, his London attorney and many other parties."

Mrs. Kent said she is thoroughly convinced that her son was railroaded to prison to hide behind the scenes dickering between the President and Churchill which neither the American nor the British people would have tolerated. She said she is prepared to so testify before Congress.

Probe Now Sought

In the search for justice for her son she said that she had received many sympathetic hearings from members of Congress, but all said they preferred not to imperil friendly relations at this time. Now that the British have made the matter public, she said, she has hopes Congress will probe the matter thoroughly.

Young Kent is a descendant of Americans who made their home in this country before the Revolution. Men of his family fought in the Revolution, the War of 1812, the Civil War and the Spanish American War. His father was in the consular service for 20 years, and the son followed his father's footsteps.

Wants American Law

"There is no shadow of a doubt of his Americanism," Mrs. Kent declared. "If he were not serving the best interests of his country as he saw them, a mother would know. I am asking merely for justice.

"It is most amazing that an American should be tried in British courts for an offense which was not against American law. As I see it he was tried only because he loved America more than his career or the country in which he is stationed. I have no wish to get bitter, because the question is so close to my heart, but I do think that as an American I have a right to plead for due process of law—American law."

Senator Holman (R.), of Oregon, observed that the reported negotiations between Mr. Roosevelt and Churchill preceded President Roosevelt's 1940 camapign pledge that American boys would not be sent to fight in foreign wars.

Wheeler thereupon rejoined the debate, asserting that neither he nor Shipstead was the principal critic of Churchill, whom he described as "a great British patriot".

'Those who are criticizing Mr. Churchill are members of the British Parliament," Wheeler said. "They are the ones who are criticizing and they are the ones who are reflecting upon the President of the United States.

"I resent the activities of those who are hired to smear Members of Congress because they do not vote 100 per cent with any President of the United States, no matter who he may be.

"Whether we are in a war or not, it is the duty of Members of Congress to criticize their Government, their Army if it is wrong, their Navy if it is wrong, even the Commander in Chief, if you please. That is what democracy means. When we stop that in this country, our democratic republic will be gone."

U. S. Stirred Japs to War, Says Britisher

LONDON,— Production Minister Oliver Lyttleton said, in a speech on Anglo-American relations and mutual lend-lease, that "it is travesty on history ever to say that America was forced into the war. "

America provoked Japan to such an extent that "the Japaneses were forced to attack the Americans at Pear Harbor," Lyttleton said in a departure from his prepared address at an American chamber of commerce luncheon.

"Everyone knew where America's sympathies were," the member of the British war cabinet said in support of his assertion that the United States was not forced into the war.

He said he always placed the needs and interests of Great Britain just ahead of those of the United States, while American representatives did likewise for their country.

The Sun Work Shop

Good THOUGHT

Good WORD — Good DEED

Letter of Pontius Pilate to Caesar

(Continued from last week)

By this time the marble stairs groaned under the weight of the multitude.. The Nazarene was brought back to me. I proceeded to the Halls of Justice, followed by the guard, and asked the people in a severe tone what they demanded. "The death of the Nazarene, the king of the Jews." "Roman justice," said I, "punishes not such offenses with death." "Crucify him! Crucify him!" belched forth the relentless rabble. The vociferations of the infuriated mob shook the palace to its foundations. There was but one who appeared to be calm in the vast multitude—it was the Nazarene.

After many fruitless attempts to protect him from the fury of his persecutors, I adopted the measure which at the moment appeared to me to be the only one that could save his life. I proposed, as it was their custom to deliver a prisoner on such occasions, to release Jesus and let him go free that he might be the scapegoat, as they called it. But they said, "Jesus must be crucified." And I appealed to them as to the inconsistency of their course as being incompatible with the laws; showing that no criminal judge could pass sentence on a criminal unless he had fasted one whole day, and that sentence must have the consent of the Sanhedrim, and the signatures of the president of that court; that no criminal could be executed on the same day his sentence was fixed. And the next day, the day of his execution, the Sanhedrim was required to review the whole proceeding. According to the law a man was stationed at the door of the court with a flag; another, a piece off, on horseback to cry the name of the criminal and his crime, and the name of his witnesses, and to know if anyone can testify anything in his favor.

I urged all these pleas, hoping it might awe them into subjection; but they still cried, "Crucify him! Crucify him!" I then ordered him to be scourged, hoping this would satisfy them, but it only increased their fury. I then called for a basin and washed my hands in the presence of the clamorous multitude, thus testifying that in my judgment Jesus of Nazareth had done nothing worthy of death; but in vain; it was his life these wretches thirsted for..

Often in our civil commotions have I witnessed the furious animosities of the multitude, but nothing can be compared to what I witnessed on this occasion. It might have been truly said that on this occasion all the phantoms of the infernal regions had assembled at Jerusalem. The crowd appeared not to walk, but to be borne off and whirled as a vortex, rolling along in living waves from the portals of the Pretorium, even unto Mt. Zion, with howling, screams, shrieks and vociferations, such as were never heard in the sedition of Pannonia, or in the tumults of the forum. By degrees the day darkened like a winter's twilight, such as had been at the death of the great Julius Caesar.. It was likewise the ides of March, I, the continued governor of a rebellious province, was leaning against the column of my basilic contemplating athwart a dreary gloom. These fiends of Tartarus dragged to execution the innocent Nazarene. All around me was deserted. Jerusalem had vomited forth her indwellers through the funeral gate that leads to Gemonica. An air of desolation and sadness enveloped me. My guard had joined the cavalry; and the centurion, to display a shadow of power, was endeavoring to keep order.

I was left alone, and my breaking heart admonished me that what was passing that moment appertained rather to the history of the gods than that of men..

A loud clamor was heard proceeding from Golgotha, which borne on the winds, seemed to announce an agony such as was never heard by mortal ears. Dark clouds lowered over the pinnacles of the temple and settling over the city covered it with a veil. So dreadful were the signs that men saw both in the heavens and on the earth that Dionysius exclaimed, "Either the Author of nature is suffering or the universe is falling apart." Whilst these appalling scenes of nature were transpiring, there was a dreadful earthquake in lower Egypt, which filled everybody with fear and frightened the superstitious Jews almost to death.. It is said Balthasar, an aged and learned Jew of Antioch, was found dead after the excitement was over; whether he died from grief or from alarm is not known. He was a strong friend of the Nazarere. (He was the physical father of Jesus.—Ed.)

Toward the first hour of the night I threw my mantle around me and went down into the city toward the gate of Golgotha. The sacrifice was consummated; the crowd was returning home, still agitated it is true, but gloomy, taciturn and desperate; what they had witnessed had stricken them with terror and remorse.

I also saw my little Roman cohort pass by mournfully, the standard bearer having veiled his eagle in token of grief; and I overheard some of the Jewish soldiers murmuring strange words which I could not understand. Others were recounting calamities almost similar to those which had so often smitten the Romans led by the will of the gods. Sometimes groups of men and women would halt, then looking back toward Mt. Calvary, would remain motionless, in expectation of witnessing some new disaster.

(To Be Concluded)

DR. STILLMAN AT OSTEOPATIC MEET

CEDAR POINT, Ohio,— Dr. Carl S. Stillman, of San Diego, Calif., will take an important part in clinical surgery at the annual meeting of the American Osteopathic Society of Proctology in Cedar Point July 12 and 13, it was announced.

The clinics, designed to familiarize doctors with the new and improved developments of prevention, diagnosis and treatment, will revolve about the general program of the conference, which will highlight public health and professional problems, including rehabilitation of the war and industrially injured and better preventive care for those on the home front.

Many of the specialists participating in the sessions are expected to attend the 48th annual session of the American Osteopathic Association, general organization of the profession, to be held in Chicago July 14 to 16.

Why the Editor Was Jailed

Dear Sir:

I am a regular subscriber to Dr. Clements' magazine, "How to Live", and I noticed in the current issue an article taken from "The Broom" in which it told of your experience in jail. Dr. Clements says that you would be glad to tell the reason for your incarceration and the particulars connected with it. Could you also send me a sample copy of the Broom. I have heard much about your magazine but have never seen a copy. I am always glad to read anything that teaches the truth and which points the way to a life of health, happiness and security.

Hoping for an early reply, I am,

Sincerely, — — — G. P. B.

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THE OATH PREVAILS

Dear Sir:

You are the second person to write and ask why I was jailed, following the suggestion put forth in HOW TO LIVE magazine by G. R. Clements, of Sebring, Florida.

To give all the reasons and history of the case would take a book. The short of it is that I "know too much" about crooks who rule and ruin this country. And knowing it, I don't join in with them to share the plunder but obey my oath of loyalty and expose them, from the President down.

I take the attitude that an oath means a contract with God, wherein God is the standard by which our duties, in conformity with the oath, are to be measured. In practice it means that THIS GOVERNMENT has made a contract with me in which the government SUBMITS to the RULE or God. In plain language it comes to the idea we are here to obey God, first, last and all the time, THAT the Government acknowledges and affirms when it makes the OATH the binding instrument between citizens of this nation.

Such being the case, I then refuse to disobey the oath to please and curry favor with a bunch of crooked politicians who have no more respect for an oath than a burglar has for law. They are natural born liars and have no sense of honesty and integrity, thus they take oaths of office merely to get power of office to rob and destroy this REPUBLIC.

I am standing out as an example of a man who believes that when we obey God we have hitched our future to the only and safe standard for life's conduct there is and I denounce the President, the Congress and all their bosses, the International Bankers and Vested Interests, daring them to do their darndest.

Well, they are, but I am still alive and going strong.

Sincerely, Yours, C. LEON de ARYAN.

My Dear de Aryan:-

Did you hear how they sent Mr. Garner's body home naked, in a plain pine box? Write Senator Arthur Capper for his report on this.

Cordially,

EDWARD JAMES SMYTHE

Dear Sir:-

Will you kindly send me thirty-five (35) copies of THE BROOM issue—June 12th, 1944. I wish I might be able to buy enough copies to send to all Veterans of Foreign Wars, American Legion, and other patriotic organizations.

Find check enclosed for $2.00 to cover cost and mailing.

Yours, — MICHIGAN

Henry George vs. British Imperialism

My dear Friend Kosti:

Your editorial of the 26th grieves me. I grieve not that any man's mind functions in a different direction from my own. I am TOLERANT. I believe absolutely in freedom of thought, for others as well as myself.

Although the great scientists, philosophers and economists (practically without exception) regard the Henry George theory as so much nonsense, & I have no use for it myself, that does not affect my opinion of your goodness, nor does it prove you to have an ignorant and stupid mind. You're so clever and learned in some other subjects that I overlook blindness on the land question. (By the way, look up the word "Single Tax", in the Encyclopedia Britannica). I take it that you own no land and never did. But that does not mean you are incompetent to vote.

ONLY LANDLESS FOR 'HENRY GEORGE' ?

I have met but few people who shared the George belief; and certainly not one man who owns land. I have an idea that the HEADS of families in America who own their own homes number around 12 to 15 millions, representing a population of 50-70 millions. My recommendation that these 12 to 15 million more thrifty, energetic (and on the whole more intelligent) should be represented by Senators has nothing whatever to do with feudalism (see the word in a big dictionary).. We have never had the slightest feudalism in this country, and my ancestors who helped found this government were bitter foes of feudalism, as I am . . . . I am not in the slightest a TORY. (My ancestors were Whigs.) You bring in straw men and then knock them down.

It is true that the system I advocate, which was in existence up to the Civil War for State Senates, and the election of U. S. Senators by the legislatures was in effect up to 1914, does resemble the English system of two Houses in Parliament. We have never had a hereditary titled house of lords in this country . . . But you must admit that the House of Lords made possible the great British Empire and the powerful English government—for long the richest in the world . . . I do not recommend it for America, but I do believe in a conservative, landowning upper house as a check against the radicalism of the lower, always subject to demagoguery—the enemy of free government.

Benjamin Franklin did not want senators paid anything, as they would be rich and representing the rich part of the population, he thought.

My theory is that of Hamilton which I meant to explain later, as follows: (Said he:)

"IF THE FEW HAVE **ALL** THE POWER, THEY WILL OPPRESS THE MANY. If the many have ALL the power, they will oppress THE FEW." So—in order to prevent this happening, we will give each a club so great and powerful that NEITHER ONE CAN OPPRESS THE OTHER."

If we had a U. S. Senate, composed of landowners (including millions of little home-owners of the middle class, skilled workers, artists and professional men, etc.), we would never have had this debacle of ruinous extravagance on the part of the New Deal proletarians.

It is not merely MOB rule that I fear (at all), it is radical demagoguery, and the destructive despotism that succeeds and always has succeeded demagoguery.

A republic can survive only where there is this "check & balance"—certainly if the moronic masses control one branch of the legislature, they could NOT be oppressed by the landowners, controlling the other . . . . I did not say BIG landowners; I said nothing whatever about feudalism, which never existed in this country, and has not existed in England since the Middle Ages. (Again see the dictionaries and the encyclopedias.)

In England the House of Lords once vetoed; now they can hold up the Commons' legislation for two years, and the king has a veto, which he could use if they tried communism or socialism.

I said nothing about the goodness or intelligence of those who own or do not own land; it does not and did not enter into the question at all. It is simply a matter of giving the thrifty minority check against radicalism . . . The latter (the thrifty) are being eliminated under the New Deal. **History affords no example of, the landowners ever selling their country down the river.**

Doubtless some of the very greatest and noblest men that the English speaking race has produced owned land; the ten greatest this country has produced; the greatest men of nearly every country, except ancient Greece: Plato owned land, as did the other great geniuses, except Socrates.

'HENRY GEORGE' BOLSHEVISM' ?

Although the Henry George idea is simply a form of Bolshevism, in the sense that the government would ultimately own every foot of land, and the people who lived on it would be slaves of the central power of some Stalin or Roosevelt, ordering every person around. Even Russia allows a limited ownership of the small homes by the persons living in them, I understand. As for the rental value of the land supporting the government: "NONSENSE," says the Ency. Brit.; the total rental income of all land, town and country would furnish only a fraction of the money necessary to run the government.

This country was not founded to escape feudalism, as it did not exist in England at the time. It was founded as a new, free home for people, where they could OWN their own homes . . . If the Henry George theory had been in effect here, no one would have come over. At least that is the idea of myself and the vast bulk of Americans — 99%. You are welcome to your idea.

I might tell you, as a sincere and admiring friend, that you can not be a Henry George radical (totalitarian) and a Republican or Democrat at the same time . . . Not even the Norman Thomas Socialist outfit believes in absolutely sacking the constitution and abolishing private ownership of land, for that is what would happen when the government took ALL of the rental income and took away the little plots of land upon which millions of Americans have their little homes. READ THIS YEAR'S SOCIALIST PLATFORM; they admit a drift toward private enterprise in everything except the big public businesses.

Why not draw up a constitutional amendment of your own, abolishing the 16th Amendment and substituting one taking away the land from the people? People could see in its nakedness just what such a proposal would do to our country.

Why Was "Golden Rule" Never Tried?

If your Henry George idea was a good thing, why has not some one of the many countries on earth tried it? The nearest to it is Russia. Not 1-10 of 1% of any people have ever believed it.

The 14th and 15th Amendments that I wanted taken out are the Post-Civil War amendments, which were passed to destroy the South, or what remained of it after the war. We existed happily without them for nearly 100 years previously.

It is not bad for you to disagree with me in your editorials. But I don't like to be misrepresented or abused for my opinions, even if they should happen to be subject to demolition. The J. Dept. is watching the Broom closely.

With best wishes, as always,

Your sincere friend,

WASHINGTON ADAMS.

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My dear WASHINGTON ADAMS:

Your letter protesting my harsh hitting at your "feudalistic Toryism" at hand and I am delighted with it. Keep up the good work. I never denied your sincerity nor attacked it. You attacked the intelligence of the "moronic masses" and naturally, since you are continuing to do so, you have no complaint coming when I pay you back in kind and cast questioning remarks at your own. Dish it out, but take it, too!

You have the grandest opportunity to show me up in my Henry George totalitarianism and radicalism. I am going to take lots of time and effort to help you. You cannot insult me, nor my intelligence or integrity, so hit hard, the harder you do the better I like it.

I have not space now in this issue to reply to you in detail, since your own letter takes up so much space, in print as well as the ideas presented, but I have been waiting for 14 years to find a man who is as sincere and as ignorant as you are of "Henry George" and what it is, and has the courage to attack me in public. Question is, can you take it?

In the first place nobody owns land in these U. S. A.

Eminent domain cancels all claims to ownership. Thousands of people found it out as soon as FDR ordered their land taken away from them and many literally starved before they were paid for it, nor were all paid the full value.

Besides, all you "land Owning" suckers do, you lease land from the state at the tax rate. Stop the payment of this rate and see how much you own.

And on top of that you poor "non-moron", you cannot drive your own car after July first till you pay for it again: a $5 a year rental from the Federal treasury. Morgenthau OWNS your car and if you use it without paying him his "cut" he'll put you in jail and fine you besides, my proud "OWNER".

CHRISTIANITY HAS NEVER BEEN TRIED

I have just read Elizabeth Dilling's mimeographed publication and I feel very badly about the description she gives of the people who have practically nothing to eat while they are being forced to reside in D. C. and are being persecuted by the D. C. people who refuse to employ them to earn a living nights or on off court days.

I am sorry my income is small, after paying overhead and expenses, but I am enclosing $5 now which you will please hand over to Mrs. Dilling to be used to get better lunches for those she has been helping.

As to your letter RE: Henry George.

You did not know that I am an "old Henry George man", that it is my political religion and faith and that any slighting remark hits me as badly as a slur against the holy Virgin hits a Romanist. People in San Diego know that and they understand. They don't consider that being a Henry George advocate makes me unfit for American citizenship or American ideals. On the contrary, many have come to realize how far superior it is to Communism, Imperialism, and Grundy exploitation by tariffs and landlordism.

You must be aware that I am not personal at all, even though I reflect upon what you consider your personal integrity. If I wanted to be thin skinned I would as well claim that you are personal when you reflect upon the "morons" or upon MY Henry George creed. I am out to get at the facts. You must be man enough not to mind the asides even though I step on your corns, or you on mine.

Rise above personal feelings and tackle the problem. I did not curtail your fredom of publishing what you considered right, even though you reflect on the "thriftless, landless morons". As a Henry George Man I represent those disinherited. Will you claim that the Christ teaching are "no good" because no nation practices them?

Sincerely, KOSTI.

Impeachment of "Sedition" Judge Asked

LAUGHLIN FILES CHARGES AGAINST EICHER—"CONTEMPT CLUB" IS FORMED—WAS GARNER'S BODY SHIPPED HOME WITHOUT COFFIN OR CLOTHES ?

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 4 (Special)—After a 5-day holiday recess, the strange "mass purge" political "conspiracy" trial opens tomorrow (Wednesday) its twelfth week, with the nervous Judge Edward C. Eicher still on the bench.

The atmosphere will be electric, for the judge's alleged **"tyrannous treatment of counsel",** which has resulted in many another judge's downfall, has caused the brilliant fighting defense attorney James J. Laughlin to **prefer charges** against Eicher before the Judiciary Committee of the House of Representatives, **requesting the judge's impeachment.** Many other attorneys are expected to join in the request.

Mr. Laughlin was last week handed a second contempt fine of $200 by Judge Eicher for alleged dilatory tactics in cross-examining a witness. The entire staff of 22 defense counsel were amazed and dismayed at the judge's action, since Laughlin had taken only a short space of time interrogating the witness; but whenever **Prosecutor Rogge gets nervous and distressed** at the discomforture of one of his witnesses under fire of an opposing attorney, he jumps up, and the **judge instantly sustains his point.** No argument is allowed; and usually no explanation is given.

Your correspondent will shortly send you a brief resume of the ten cases where U. S. judges, including one Supreme Justice, were impeached. They are found in the interesting book of Simpson on "Impeachments". . . . . "tyrannous misconduct" Justice Eicher is alleged to be under the complete domination of Prosecutors Rogge and Burns.

Judge Eicher has fined so many attorneys on the alleged grounds of "contempt of the court", that an "Eicher's Contempt Club" has been formed. The many members wear a ribbon with the initials "ECC" on it, but keep it under coat lapels while in court.

Among those qualifying are Albert W. Dilling of Chicago, $200; Henry H. Klein of New York, $400—two fines; Ira Chase Koehne, two fines $50 and $200; Laughlin $150 and $200; Ellis O. Jones, defendant representing himself, $100; Claude Thompson, $100; Maximillian St. George of Chicago, $20.

Show Jewish Background

Lawyer Dilling's stern cross-examination of Roy P. Arnold, of Los Angeles, brought him the $200 fine. He was endeavoring to show perjury— and, after the fine, said he had a witness in Washington (a Los Angeles police officer) to prove that Arnold and William Bockhacker, prosecution witness, were really agents of the B'Nai B'Rith's Anti-Defamation League, and that this league was the cause of this prosecution.

But the judge refused to let the Los Angeles officer go on the stand.

Your reporter is investigating the story that the body of 80-year-old E. J. Garner, defendant who died some weeks ago, was shipped back to Wichita, Kansas, without a coffin or clothes, in a plain pine box. It seems authentic. It is recalled that the "government" held the body here for medical examination and autopsy, reporting death from natural causes . . . But why leave clothes from the dead man's body?

REPUBLIC ON TRIAL

Dear Sir:-

I have just returned from Washington, D. C. where I have been visiting with my eighteen year old son who was shipped **somewhere** from Quantico, Virgina. While in Washington a friend gave me your paper THE BROOM. I cannot tell you how much I enjoyed reading it. I was very glad to get a copy of Mr. Klein's speech to the jury of this terrible sedition trial. I was in Washington a week after this trial started and visited the trial for nine days with my friend. We had a terrible time to even get into the court room as they are trying to keep the people from hearing what is going on.

When we finally got in, after sitting there fifteen minutes, to hear and see what was going on inside those closed doors and also shades drawn on the windows, it made the cold chills run through your body.

When court recessed we went to Capitol Hill to call on the Senators and Repres., to ask them to please go down and see and hear what was going on. One of our own Representatives from Ohio said he was too busy, anyway they couldn't interfere with the Federal Court. Well I told him, "Mr. Elston, if this trial goes through you will not even have your job."

After nine days our money was exhausted and we had to return to Cincinnati, but I shall never forget what we saw there. What are our Sons fighting for?

I am anxious to get Mr. Klein's speech out to people, and I am enclosing $5.00 for 500 copies, for I do feel we have little time to do **much** in. Thanking you for your good work in bringing this to the American People, comes from the heart of a mother of a son in this terrible unnecessary conflict.

Sincerely yours,— CINCINNATI

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Dear Reader:-

Thanks for the $5, only I cannot mail you 500 copies. I forwarded 100. The price of 5c per copy does not even cover the cost of production, and there is nothing left for me to eat on. THE BROOM is being produced at a financial loss just to show the organized JEWS that there is one American editor they cannot control. The deficit is made up from donations of those who appreciate the value of my work.

I am glad you were in the D. C. court room yourself to convince your own eyes by what you saw and heard there. The bulk of the American public does not realize yet that IT IS HAPPENING HERE.

"Whom the gods wish to destroy they first make mad." This Greek proverb is exemplified by the conduct of organized Jewry in America. In the Anglo-Jewish Press they come out frankly, explaining that since ther is NO LEGAL way to terrorize those who protest against Jewish tyranny over American lives and commerce, politics and government, THEREFORE the subterfuge of "demoralizing the armed forces" had to be resorted to, on the theory that it is the "Nazi line" of propaganda. The Jews brag about it in their own papers. Anybody can read it. They brag about it that they forced Atty. Gen., Biddle to proceed on that illegal line by having FDR order him, against Biddle's better judgment. But the American public does not read the Jewish papers, while the papers they read do not always give the facts for fear of offending Jewish advertisers.

"Ain't it queer, though, that God still rules supreme?!" Sincerely,

C. LEON de ARYAN.

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